



In our parish

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Children's Liturgy: During the first part of 10am Mass, every week in term time

The Music Group will be re-starting next week, Sunday 7th September.

The Food Bank: is in need of milk and fruit juice (Long-life only), coffee (small jars) cup soups, tinned fruit, deodorants (M & F), shaving gel, washing-up liquid, laundry powder. Please leave donated goods in the basket in the Narthex. Many thanks.

Alpha Course: For those searching and enquiring about the faith— next meeting is **TOMORROW 1st September**, in the Presbytery at 7.00pm

Inclusion Audit. A parish audit to look at how well everyone is able to take part in parish life is being promoted by Fr Hudson's. We want to fully involve people with a range of disabilities who have expert knowledge and understanding of the issues involved in meetings after both Masses next Sunday to plan our response over the next three weeks. Please volunteer to Fr David or Bob Drumgoole.

Next Ladies' Meal: **Wed Sept 3rd**, The Unicorn, Chase Meadow, Warwick at **7.00pm**

A.G.M: Do you want to get more involved in Parish life and helping make St Joseph's shape and deliver its vision? If so, please consider putting yourself forward to join the Pastoral Council as one of our elected representatives from the Parish. We need two members to serve on the Council for one year. **Nominations opened on Thursday, 28th August** with a view to new members being elected and installed at our **AGM on 2nd October**. Please speak to Cannon David or Matt Greene for more information.

Something Greater: Looking at parish ministry and what we ourselves may be called to. Starts **Wed 10th Sept** with an introductory session, 8 course sessions following, at St Mary Immaculate, Warwick. Contact Canon David for information.

Save the dates - Autumn Social Events at St Joseph's: **Bingo Night** Saturday **27th September**. **Men's Meal** Thursday **18th Sept**. **Tea Dance** Saturday **8th November**.

Next Meeting of the SVP: Monday **8th September** at 7.00pm

Young Adults Group: Contacts are Gabriel 078525 62660, Freya 07562 486507

200 Club: Congratulations to Jackie Rabone and Phil Watts who won the £50 and £30 prizes in Aug. The Sept collection and draw will be on 31st August, a bit early!

LAST CHANCE TO JOIN THE SVP NATIONAL SUMMER RAFFLE TODAY!!

The draw will be Thursday **25th Sept**. Thank you !

CATHOLIC LEAMINGTON

St. Joseph's Parish Newsletter



31st August 2025 Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time



JUBILEE YEAR 2025
"Pilgrims of Hope"



To find out more, visit: www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/jubilee-year or scan:

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Piety Shop: Philomena Watts via the Parish Office or notebook in the shop



Those we keep in our Prayers

Anniversaries

Bridie Blackaby, Frances Clark, Emma Bannon, Brian Thurlow,
Ian Williams

Recently Deceased

Sr. Angela McCormack, Stanley Phipps, Fr Paul Johnson,
Maureen O'Sullivan and Fr Tony Rohan
May they Rest in Peace and Rise in Glory

Please Pray for the Sick of our Parishes as well as those who care for them

Christopher Snelson, Edvige Giorgio, Marie Clare Banner, Sue Maher,
Anne Kirby, Fina Monastero, Mario Fasi, Eileen Hiorns

Our Lady's 7 Day Candle
burns this week for the
**Intentions of
Tasha and Sophia Thomas**



Our Lady's 7- Day Candle:

Dates available: 9th & 30th
November, 7th & 14th December

BOOKING A BAPTISM: Please collect a Baptism form after Mass and return it to
Fr David, when you can discuss dates and other arrangements.

CONFESSIONS: Usually 10.00am on Saturday mornings, 5.00pm on Sunday
evenings (before Mass) or at other times on request. See the Mass Schedule.

All are welcome to join this year's Harvington Hall Pilgrimage on Sunday

7th Sept: The principal celebrant will be Archbishop Bernard Longley.
The Hall is open from 12 noon. **Confessions 1.45—2.30pm with Mass at
3.00pm.** FREE PARKING and free timed tours of Harvington Hall are avail-
able to pilgrims on the day and can be booked at the table in the Hall's
courtyard upon arrival. It is essential that you bring your own chairs and
packed lunch. There is a list in the narthex for those wanting to go and
those who are going and will have seats available to offer a lift

Masses during the coming week

Sunday 31st August
**Twenty-second Sunday in
Ordinary Time**

**2nd Collection: Building
and Maintenance Fund**

Monday 1st September
Feria

Tuesday 2nd
Feria

Wednesday 3rd
St Gregory the Great

Thursday 4th
St Cuthbert

Friday 5th
Feria

Saturday 6th
*Saturday Memorial of Our
Lady*

Sunday 7th September
**Twenty-third Sunday in
Ordinary Time**

10.00am Mass: Special Intentions and Good
Health—Charlotte and Evan Thomas

5.00pm Confessions

5.30pm Mass: People of the Parish

9.30am Mass: Christine Lawrence RIP

9.00am: Private prayer and Rosary

9.30am Mass: Emma Bannon RIP Anniv.

*Mass at Our Lady's is a Requiem Mass and is
at 1.00pm*

6.30pm: Adoration
7.00pm Mass: Breda Maher RIP

9.30am: Sacred Heart Novena and Rosary
10.00am Mass: Fr Arul Samy—Birthday
Intentions

8.30am: Adoration and Rosary
9.30am Mass: Deceased members of the
Ireson and Geoghegan families
10.00am: Confessions

10.00am Mass: People of the Parish

5.00pm Confessions

5.30pm Mass: Anna-Marie Kelly RIP Anniv.

Funeral Arrangements for Sr Angela

**Reception into the Chapel at Selly Park 4.00pm Tuesday 9th September
followed by Evening Prayer at 5.00pm**

Funeral Mass at 11.00am on Wednesday 10th September.

*Live stream link: <http://chapel.sellypark.org> and the password is **dupuis***

Offertory figures for 24th August

Gift Aid	£134.50
Non Gift Aid	£248.52

LIVESTREAMING: *ST JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH WHITNASH—YOU TUBE*

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